

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2343

ANSWERED ON:30.07.2002

RURAL WATER SUPPLY AND SANITATION PROJECT WITH GERMAN AID IN KARNATAKA.

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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government of Karnataka has submitted a proposal to provide water supply and sanitation in 1088 arid and semi-arid villages in the State at a cost of Rs.336.265 crore with German assistance of Rs.269.012 crore and the State and community funding of Rs.33.62 crores each;

(b) if so, whether the Union Government have approved the project;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) if not, the time by which the project is likely to be approved?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ANNASAHEB M.K. PATIL)

(a): Yes, Sir. The Government of Karnataka has submitted a proposal entitled 'Sustainable Rural Water Supply and Sanitation Project - Arid and Semi-Arid regions in Karnataka State' for assistance from Government of Germany to cover 1088 villages at a total estimated cost of Rs. 336.265 crores.

(b) to (d): The State Government has been requested to revise the project proposal to conform to the Sector Reform Project concept of the Government of India and re-submit the same. The revised project has not been received from the Government of Karnataka.